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**PATENT APPLICATION**

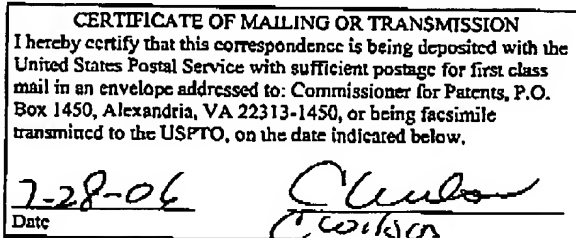
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Case: **DOERR 74 (LCNT/125663)** Confirmation #: **2072**

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Examiner: **Doan, Jennifer** Group Art Unit: **2874**

Title: **AN OPTICAL MONITOR AND A METHOD FOR IMPROVED  
OPTICAL MONITORING**



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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed May 3, 2006, please reconsider the above-identified patent application as follows.

In the event that an extension of time is required for this response to be considered timely, and a petition therefor does not otherwise accompany this amendment, any necessary extension of time is hereby petitioned for, and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the appropriate cost of such petition to counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/LCNT/125663.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due, including extension of time and excess claim fees, to counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/LCNT/125663.